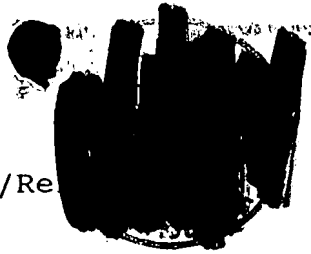


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In re Application of:)
SUSUMU SUGIURA ET AL.)
Application No.: 08/359,940)
Filed: December 20, 1994)
For: DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM)
WITH COMMON CHANNEL FOR :
IMAGE AND CHARACTER DATA)
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 3, 1996, the time to respond to which having been extended, to and including October 3, 1996, by a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) filed October 3, 1996, and a Notice of Appeal having been filed October 3, 1996, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on December 3, 1996

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